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Enclosed are:

- ☒ 14 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Priority Claimed Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-397329.
- ☐ Certified copy of \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ 7 sheets of formal drawing.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_  
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- ☐ An associate power of attorney.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
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